

(Currently Amended) 1. A method for retrieving a map from an Internet web-site comprising:

- 5 a) sending a telephone number for a destination location as a map request to said Internet web-site wherein said map request is sent through an Internet Protocol with said telephone number provided in a sub-field of an universal resource locator (URL) identifying said Internet web-site;
and
10 b) receiving a map for said destination location from said Internet web site associated with said telephone number.

(Currently Amended) 2. The method of claim 1 wherein:

- 15 said step a) of sending said telephone number comprising a step of sending said telephone number as said map request to a map server for processing said telephone number provided as a sub-field of said URL identifying said map server for obtaining an address for said telephone number of
20 said destination location.

(Currently Amended) 3. The method of claim 2 wherein:

- 25 said step b) further comprising a step of retrieving a map of said destination location as identified by said address.

(Currently Amended) 4. The method of claim 1 wherein:

5 said step a) of sending said telephone number comprising a
step of sending said telephone number from a mobile phone
through an Internet Protocol for said mobile phone to a map
server for processing said map request with said telephone
number for obtaining an address for said destination
location associated with said telephone number.

10 (Currently Amended) 5. The method of claim 4 wherein:

15 said step a) of sending said telephone number as a map
request from a mobile phone to a map server further
comprising a step of pushing a map-retrieval key on said
mobile phone for logging on to said map server through an
Internet Protocol for said mobile phone.

(Currently Amended) 6. The method of claim 1 wherein:

20 said step a) of sending said telephone number of a
destination location as a map request to said Internet web-
site further comprising a step of said Internet web site
receiving and normalizing said telephone number provided
as a sub-field of said URL identifying said Internet web-site
25 into a normalized telephone number.

(Currently Amended) 7. The method of claim 6 wherein:

5 said step a) of sending said telephone number of a destination location as a map request with a telephone number to said Internet web-site further comprising a step of applying said normalized telephone number for searching an address listed in a database for said normalized telephone number.

10 (Currently Amended) 8. The method of claim 7 wherein:

 said step b) further comprising a step of retrieving a map of said destination location as identified by said address listed for said normalized telephone number.

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(Currently Amended) 9. A method for retrieving a map from network server comprising:

20 a) sending a numeric input data coded for a destination location as a map request to said network server through an Internet Protocol with said numeric input data provided in a sub-field of an universal resource locator (URL) identifying said network server; and

25 b) receiving a map of said destination location from said network server associated with said numeric data input sent with said map request.

(Currently Amended) 10. The method of claim 9 wherein:

5 said step a) of sending said numeric input data coded for a
destination location as a map request comprising a step of
sending said map request to said network server with a
partial telephone number of said destination location with
10 said partial telephone number provided in a sub-field of an
universal resource locator (URL) identifying said network
server.

(Currently Amended) 11. The method of claim 9 wherein:

15 said step a) of sending said numeric input data coded for a
destination location as a map request comprising a step of
sending said map request from a mobile phone to a network
server through an Internet Protocol for said mobile phone
for processing said numeric input data for obtaining a
geographic position of said destination location associated
20 with said numeric input data.

(Currently Amended) 12. An Internet system comprising:

an Internet web site linking to a map server for receiving a
telephone number for a destination location as a map
request wherein said map request is sent through an Internet
Protocol with said telephone number provided in a sub-field
of an universal resource locator (URL) identifying said
Internet web-site; and

said Internet web site comprising a map request processor
for enabling a database search for determining a geographic
position of said destination location associated with said
telephone number and retrieving a map for said destination
location.

(Currently Amended) 13. The Internet system of claim 12 wherein:

said map request processor further comprising a database
for associating said telephone number provided in a sub-
field of an universal resource locator (URL) identifying said
Internet web-site with a geographic position of said
destination location and associating said geographic position
of said destination location with a map.

(Currently Amended) 14. The Internet system of claim 12 wherein:

said map request processor further comprising a first
database for associating said telephone number provided in
a sub-filed of said URL with a geographic position of said
destination location and a second database for associating
said geographic position of said destination location with a
map.

(Currently Amended) 15. The Internet system of claim 12 wherein:

5 said map request processor further comprising a telephone
 number normalization processor for normalizing said
 telephone number sent with said map request provided in a
 sub-filed of said URL into a normalized telephone number
 for enabling said database search for retrieving a map for
 said destination location associated with said normalized
 telephone number.

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(Currently Amended) 16. The Internet system of claim 12 wherein:

15 said map request processor further comprising a map
 request handler for handing said map request submitted in
 different Internet communication protocols.

(Currently Amended) 17. The Internet system of claim 16 wherein:

20 said map request handler further comprising a partial
 telephone number handler for handing said map request
 submitted with partial telephone number provided in a sub-
 filed of said URL for a destination location.

(Currently Amended) 18. The Internet system of claim 12 wherein:

5 said map request processor further comprising an automatic
Internet universal resource location (URL) linking processor
for linking to several universal resource locations (URLs) for
enabling a database search for determining a geographic
position of said destination location associated with said
telephone number provided in a sub-filed of said URL
10 identifying said Internet web-site and for retrieving a map
for said position of said destination geographic location.

(Currently Amended) 19. The Internet system of claim 12 further
comprising:

15 a telephone for sending said map request through a
telephonic Internet Protocol with a telephone number of said
destination location provided in a sub-filed of said URL to
said map request processor.

(Currently Amended) 20. The Internet system of claim 19 wherein:

20 said telephone is a wireless telephone for sending said
telephone number of said destination location through a
wireless telephonic Internet Protocol as said map request.

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(Currently Amended) 21. A network system comprising:

5 a map server for receiving a numeric data input coded for a destination location as a map request through an Internet Protocol with said numeric input data provided in a sub-field of an universal resource locator (URL) identifying said map server; and

10 said map server further includes a database-search enabling means for enabling a database search for determining a geographic position of said destination location associated with said numeric input and a map associated with said geographic position of said destination location.

15 (Currently Amended) 22. A network system comprising:

20 a geocentric server for receiving a numeric data input coded for a destination location as a map request through an Internet Protocol with said numeric input provided in a sub-field of an universal resource locator (URL) identifying said geocentric server; and

25 said geocentric server further includes a database-search enabling means for enabling a geocentric database search for determining a geographic position of said destination location associated with said numeric input.

(Currently Amended) 23. The network system of claim 22 wherein:

5 said geocentric server further includes a geocentric filter means for applying said geographic position of said destination location associated with said numeric input provided in a sub-field of said URL to establish a geocentric filter for filtering a subsequent database search.

(Currently Amended) 24. The network system of claim 22 wherein:

10 said geocentric server is provided for receiving a numeric data input provided in a sub-field of said URL further comprising at least a first part of a telephone number; and

15 said database-search enabling means is provided for enabling a geocentric database search for determining a geographic position of said destination location associated with said first part of said telephone number.

20 (Currently Amended) 25. The network system of claim 23 wherein:

25 said geocentric server further includes a normalization processor for normalizing said numeric data input provided in a sub-field of said URL into a normalized numeric data input.